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FANK FOLLOW ON ACTIONS:

1. FAO WAREHOUSE PROCEDURES (KOMPONG SOM):

A. AFTER TITLE TRANSFER THE CARGO IS MOVED INTO THE FAO WAREHOUSE AND SEGREGATED INTO TECHNICAL SERVICE CATEGORIES. IN THE CASE OF MULTIPACKS (CONEX) THE FINAL OR ACTUAL TITLE TRANSFER TAKES PLACE WITHIN THE WAREHOUSE. A JOINT INVENTORY WITH TECH SERVICE AND FAO REPRESENTATIVES TAKES PLACE AND CONEX' S ARE THEN FILLED WITH ITEMS FOR ONLY ONE TECH SERVICE PER CONEX.

2. CONVOY CONTROL:

A. AFTER CONEX' S ARE FILLED, MARKED AND DOCUMENTED, THEY ARE SEALED AND LOCKED OR WELDED SHUT. TRUCKS ARE LOADED IN THE INTRANSIT WAREHOUSE FOR TRUCK CONVOY TO PHNOM PENH AND ASSEMBLED IN A SECURE CONVOY HOLDING AREA. AT THIS POINT, THE CONVOY COMMANDER SIGNS FOR THEEKARGO FROM THE FAO REPRESENTATIVE AND IS GIVEN THE KEYS TO LOCKED CONEX' S. PHYSICAL SECURITY OF THE CONVOY IN THE ASSEMBLY AREA IS PERFORMED BY GENDARMES AND CONVOY PERSONNEL SPECIFICALLY CHARGED WITH THIS TASK. ARRIVAL IN PHNOM PENH: THE TRUCKS ASSEMBLE IN A DESIGNATED SECURE AREA. HERE, THE KEYS AND DOCUMENTATION ARE TURNED OVER TO THE FAO COMMITTEE, WHO HAVE THE TRUCKS ESCORTED TO APPROPRIATE TECHNICAL SERVICE WAREHOUSES. CONEX' S ARE THEN OPENED AND

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JOINTLY INVENTORIED AGAIN BY TECH SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES, FAO PERSONNEL AND CONVOY REPRESENTATIVES.

GAO STATEMENT

WHAT INFORMATION DOES MEDTC HAVE ON THE CARE, USE AND CONDITION OF EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL TURNED OVER TO THE CAMBODIANS.

MEDTC ACTIONS:

1. THE DOD SINGLE LINE ITEM RELEASE/ RECEIPT DD FORM 1348-1 IS THE DOCUMENT USED FOR " TITLE TRANSFER OF ACCOUNTABILITY" FROM USG TO THE GKR, FANK. THIS DOCUMENT IS ALSO THE FORM SHOWING DELIVERIES TO MAP CAMBODIA.
2. THE ABC REPORT OF DELIVERIES INDICATES THE APPROVED MAPEL (MAP ELEMENT) OR GROUPS OF UNITS THAT RECEIVED MAP EQUIPMENT.
3. AS EQUIPMENT IS DELIVERED TO MAP- CB AND TITLE TRANSFERRED, MEDTC SENDS A LETTER TO THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR LOGISTICS, MAJOR GENERAL MAO SUM KHME, MEDTC- FL SUBJECT EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTION LETTER (BLANK). THE LETTER INDICATES THAT THE EQUIPMENT WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE MAPEL INDICATED. DIVERSION TO OTHER UNITS WILL ONLY BE MADE UNDER EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES AND ON APPROVAL OF CHIEF MEDTC. THE LETTER REQUESTS THAT THE ACS/ LOG PROVIDE MEDTC A REPORT OF DISTRIBUTION MADE, AND A REQUEST AND JUSTIFICATION FOR ANY DIVERSIONS AS MAY BE DESIRED.
4. THE FANK TECHNICAL SERVICE DEPOTS MAINTAIN RECORDS INDICATING WHEN, AND TO WHAT UNIT, CERTAIN MAJOR ITEMS OF EQUIPMENT HAVE BEEN ISSUED.
5. FOR SPARE PARTS ACCOUNTABILITY IS DROPPED AFTER ISSUE. ISSUE OF REPAIR PARTS ARE MADE TO SATISFY A VALID STATED REQUIREMENT.
6. FANK DOES NOT MAINTAIN UNIT RECORDS INDICATING A BALANCE FOR EACH ITEM THAT SHOULD BE ON HAND BY UNIT. HOWEVER, G4 IS TAKING ACTION THAT IS LEADING TO BETTER RECORD KEEPING. THE G4 INSPECTOR, WHO ACCOMPANIES MEDTC ON EIUT S WILL BE LOCATED IN AN OFFICE AND ISSUE DATA AVAILABLE IN THAT OFFICE. A FORM IS BEING DEVELOPED TO SHOW AUTHORIZATIONS, ISSUES AND ON HAND BALANCES. THIS INFORMATION WILL BE VERIFIED AT THE UNIT INSPECTIONS. INITIALLY THE LISTINGS ARE NOT EXPECTED TO BE EXTREMELY ACCURATE, BUT THE SYSTEM IS PRACTICABLE AND SHOULD, IN TIME, PRODUCE A RELIABLE STATUS OF MAP EQUIPMENT ISSUED TO MAP SUPPORTED UNITS.

FANK ACTIONS:

1. AFTER TITLE TRANSFER, THE EQUIPMENT IS ISSUED THROUGH THE
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FAO WAREHOUSE COMPLEX TO THE APPROPRIATE TECHNICAL SERVICE NAVY (MNK) AND AIR FORCE (KAF) DEPOT.

2. THE FANK G4 DIRECTS ALL ISSUES OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE ASSISTANT SHIEF OF STAFF, LOGVUS.
3. THE G4, RESPONDS TO MEDTCS EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTION LETTER

BY FURNISHING CHIEF, MEDTC A COPY OF THE ACTION MESSAGE ORDERS
'DE REPARTITION DES VEHICLES' OR ASSIGNMENT/ ISSUE OF VEHICLES
AND EQUIPMENT. THIS MESSAGE IS THE AUTHORITY FOR THE DEPOTS
INVOLVED TO ISSUE EQUIPMENT TO THE UNITS AS INDICATED AND
SERVES AS THE UNIT AUTHORITY TO DRAW RELEASED EQUIPMENT.

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4. THE FANK G4 CONSOLIDATES COMBAT LOSS REPORTS FOR FURTHER
JNK G4 REPORTS MONTHLY COMBAT LOSSES TO
CHIEF MEDTC AS OF THE LAST DAY OF EACH MONTH. THE DATA IN
THIS REPORT PROVIDES THE BASIS FOR THE MONTHLY COMBAT LOSS
REPORT FORWARDED TO CINCPAC. THIS INFORMATION IS THEN USED
TO ADJUST THE ABC REPORT.

5. THE FORM
FANK REQUISITIONING AND ISSUE PROCEDURES WERE
BASED ON THE FRENCH SYSTEM. THE FANK LOGISTICS PROCEDURES
WERE INCOMPATIBLE WITH THE HIGHLY AUTOMATED U. S. SUPPLY
SYSTEM. TO PROVIDE PROPER FANK INTERFACE WITH U. S. MILSTRIP
PROCEDURES, IT WAS NECESSARY TO JOINTLY DEVELOP SUPPLY PRO-
CEDURES THAT FANK COULD USE TO PLACE DEMANDS FOR EQUIPMENT
ON THE U. S. LOGISTICS SYSTEM. SUCH PROCEDURES HAVE BEEN
WRITTEN AND JOINTLY APPROVED BY CHIEF, MEDTC AND THE FANK
J4. THE SUPPLY PORTION OF THE LOGISTICS PROCEDURES MANUAL
HAS BEEN TRANSLATED INTO KHMER AND IS BEING DISTRIBUTED TO

UNITS IN THE FIELD. FANK PERSONNEL ARE TRANSLATING THE MAINTENANCE PORTION OF THE MANUAL INTO KHMER PRIOR TO PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION.

6. THE FOLLOWING PERIODIC STATUS REPORTS ARE SUBMITTED TO MEDTC ON EQUIPMENT STATUS:

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- A. KAF AND MNK REPORT STATUS EQUIPMENT PERIODICALLY TO AIR FORCE AND NAVY BRANCHES, LOGISTICS DIVISION, MEDTC.
 - B. THE MECHANIZED REGIMENT REPORTS WEEKLY ON THE STATUS OF TRACK VEHICLES TO ARMY BRANCH, LOGISTICS DIVISION, MEDTC.
 - C. THE FANK DIRECTOR OFFMATERIAL, REPORTS WEEKLY STATUS OF MHE AND ARTILLERY EQUIPMENT TO ARMY BRANCH, LOGISTICS DIVISION, MEDTC.
 - D. THE COMMANDER OF THE 1 ST TRANSPORTATION BRIGADE REPORTS MONTHLY ON THE STATUS OF HIS TRUCK FLEET.
 - E. THE ENGINEER DEPOT REPORTS STATUS ON HEAVY ENGINEER CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AND GENERATORS TO ARMY BRANCH, LOGISTICS DIVISION MEDTC.
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